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Arrival and Departure of Trains at Owosso.

Westward.		Leave Arrive.	
Gr'd Rapids, Gr'd Haven and Muskegon.	a. m.	p. m.	
Gr'd Rapids, Gr'd Haven and Muskegon.	10:02	6:03	
Gr'd Rapids, Gr'd Haven and Muskegon.	10:30	6:30	
Gr'd Rapids and Intermediate Stations.	7:17	9:00	
Gr'd Rapids, Gr'd Haven and Muskegon.	8:25	9:02	
Mixed from Owosso Jet.	8:55	6:59	

Eastward.

Detroit, Canada and East.	a. m.	p. m.
Detroit and Chicago via Dar.	10:02	7:17
Detroit, Canada and East.	11:10	7:40
Detroit, Canada and East.	11:40	8:10
Detroit, Canada and East.	12:25	8:25
Detroit, Canada and East.	12:55	8:55

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EASTWARD.

Muskegon	Lv	8:00
Sparta	9:18	
Cedar Springs	9:40	
Greenville	10:30	12:50
Sheridan	10:32	1:45
Carson City	11:22	3:15
Ashley	12:10	5:15
Owosso Jet.	12:50	6:30
Detroit	Ar	3:35

WESTWARD.

Detroit	Lv	11:30	10:45
Owosso Jet.	Lv	2:30	5:15
Ashley	3:30	6:30	
Greenville	4:12	5:40	
Sheridan	4:30	9:40	
Carson City	5:00	10:30	
Cedar Springs	5:55		
Sparta	6:10		
Muskegon	Ar	7:30	

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HISTORY OF A WEEK.

Thursday, April 15.

While seated at the breakfast table Matthias Guster, 25 years old, was shot and instantly killed by John Formiller, his step-father, at Chicago. Formiller then killed himself.

The body of the man found in the Weber river at Ogden, Utah, is believed to be that of E. A. Kilday, of New York.

A dispatch to the London Times from St. Petersburg says that a nest of conspirators was recently discovered in Sergius street, a fashionable thoroughfare of that city.

Policeman Paul Craft, of Chicago, accidentally shot and killed his sweetheart while he was cleaning his revolver. Craft was arrested and had to be restrained to prevent him killing himself.

The Standard Oil company paid through the federal court \$3,750 to William Costello, of Chicago, which was the agreed price for the loss of an eye.

Mrs. U. S. Grant has written a book—the home history of General and Mrs. Grant as it has never been told before.

Friday, April 16.

The St. Louis Dairy company has been found guilty in the United States district court of having imported contract labor and will have to pay \$1,000, the penalty provided by law.

Princess de Chimay has left Paris. She was not allowed to appear at a music hall.

The California legislature has enacted a law fixing the minimum rate of pay per day for laborers on public works at \$2 a day.

A special from Grand Forks, B. C., announces the sudden death of Captain Carter, a well-known character of the camp, said to be a brother of Senator Thomas Carter, of Montana. He leaves mining property valued at \$500,000.

The board of regents of the Michigan University will meet April 23 and vote a leave of absence for President Angell while he is in Turkey as a diplomat.

Part of the Globe Iron works at Dayton, O., weakened by the recent floods, collapsed. Damage estimated at \$6,000.

Saturday, April 17.

A telegram from Asheville, N. C., states that Mrs. S. M. Hanna, the mother of Senator Hanna, is dead there from pneumonia. She was 84 years old.

The navy department is in a ferment over an order to Lieutenant Peary, the Arctic explorer, to leave the New York navy yard and take up his station at Mare Island, Cal.

Detectives are searching for W. E. Farley, cashier for the clothing firm of Work Bros. & Co. He and \$2,000 have accidentally disappeared from Chicago.

A man who had just reached Chicago on a Northwestern suburban train was drowned in the river at Wells street. Scores of spectators watched the unfortunate go down in the dirty water unable to render him any assistance.

Judge Morton, of the Suffolk superior court, Boston, has decided that Adah Richmond has not established her rights as a widow to contest the will of John Stetson.

Monday, April 19.

William Dawson, Sr., president, and Robert L. Miller, assistant cashier of the defunct bank of Minnesota, at St. Paul, have been arrested on the usual charge of accepting deposits after they knew the bank was insolvent.

General Ruiz Rivera and Colonel Bacallao, the captured insurgent leaders in prison at Havana, are no longer incommunicado.

Juan Tejada, one of the survivors of the wreck of the Ville de St. Nazaire, has become a maniac as a result of his terrible experience.

Mrs. Randall Davidson, wife of the bishop of Winchester, England, has been initiated a member of the Royal Lady Mary College of Odd Fellows at Farnham.

American bashi bazouks burned the feet of John Smith, Rebecca and Eliza Blakesley near Findley, O., until the victims told where they had \$5,000 in money concealed.

J. C. Long and wife are on trial at Hampton, Ia., for murder. They are accused of poisoning Long's only child, a daughter 16 years old, by his divorced wife.

Tuesday, April 20.

Jerry Brown, a member of the Montgomery gang of murderers in West Virginia, has been sentenced to be hanged June 25 for the murder of Mrs. Isaac Radford.

The Argentine government will pay interest for June on the foreign debt in full.

Primrose day, the anniversary of the death of Lord Beaconsfield, was observed at London with the usual display of his favorite flower.

Sol Miller, editor of the Troy Chief and a former state politician of note, died at his home at Troy, N. Y., after a prolonged illness.

The Uruguayan general, Munoz, has again been defeated by the rebels under Saravia and Lamos.

A German correspondent at Shanghai notes the curious absence of all feeling and desire for revenge against the Japanese among the Chinese. They are now establishing factories and get supplies from Japanese rather than from Europeans or Americans.

Wednesday, April 21.

New South Wales has spent \$12,000,000 for harbors in forty years, exclusive of the cost of the port of Sydney, and will spend \$1,500,000 for the same purpose this year.

Calro's (Egypt) new Museum of Egyptian Antiquities, which will cover 13,000 square meters and cost \$550,000, has been begun, the young khedive laying the corner stone.

Dr. Von Stephan's (the German postmaster general) death was due to his cutting a corn some time ago; he was obliged to have first the toe and then the leg amputated, but too late to save him.

Actress Annie Russell is suing her husband, Manager Eugene Wiley Presbury, for divorce.

The Uruguayan government has presented a heavy claim against Brazil for permitting the passage of rebels across the frontier.

The war flurry in the wheat markets at Chicago, New York and other American cities has passed over.

Rudolf Zeller, the Viennese operetta composer, has been found guilty of fraud and perjury and sentenced to one year's imprisonment at hard labor.

Pingree Appoints Two Women.

Lansing, Mich., April 17.—The following appointments have been made by Governor Pingree: Frederick R. Belknap, of Niles, member of state board of health; Jacob Stahl, of Lansing, member of the board of control of the industrial school for boys; George A. Newitt, of Ishpeming, commissioner of mineral statistics; Mrs. M. A. Bliss, of Saginaw, guardian of the industrial home for girls; F. H. Rankin, Jr., trustee of school for the blind; C. E. Dana, of Newberry, trustee of the upper peninsula hospital for the insane; Joseph Armstrong, of Lapeer, and Jane M. Kenney, of Port Huron, trustees of the eastern asylum for the insane at Pontiac; Charles W. Light, of Saginaw, members of the state board of charities.

Detroit Woman Horribly Murdered.

Detroit, April 19.—The horribly mutilated remains of a woman named Nellie Bergen were discovered in her little frame house on Madison avenue. Life had been extinct for more than twenty-four hours. The woman's head was fairly chopped to pieces. Suspicion of the crime rests upon John A. Dittman, who had been living with the insane at Pontiac; Charles W. Light, of Saginaw, members of the state board of charities.

Citizens Rescued the Crew.

Rogers City, Mich., April 21.—The tow barge John A. Francomb, of Detroit, broke loose from her consort, the Starford, during Sunday night's gale off Spectacle reef, Lake Huron, and struck Adams Point, seven miles south of this place. The crew was rescued by citizens of this place, after having been made about helpless by the freezing weather.

Shot by a Burglar.

Adrian, Mich., April 19.—Lafayette Ladd, one of the most prominent citizens of this city, was shot and fatally wounded by a burglar at 3 o'clock Saturday morning. The robber escaped and there is no clue as to his identity.

TOW BARGE GOES TO THE BOTTOM.

Runs on a Pier Breaking a Hole in Her—Crew All Saved.

Ludington, Mich., April 19.—Tow barge Charles N. Ryan went to the bottom a quarter of a mile off this port in twenty-five feet of water yesterday. In trying to make harbor the current carried her on the north pier, breaking a hole in her bow. A line was thrown to the pier and made fast by the life-savers, but it soon parted and the boat drifted into shallow water, where she soon sank.

A life-boat was manned and reached the tow barge in safety. On her return trip she shipped a sea and upset. The occupants of the life-boat were washed into the water. Some hung to the life-boat and drifted ashore with it, and others were picked up by a volunteer crew, while the remainder were washed ashore. The Ryan is owned by Neffs, of Milwaukee. Her captain is John Gillard. She left Chicago bound for this port for bulk salt.

Indemnity for Diseased Cattle.

Lansing, Mich., April 19.—The right of the state sanitary live stock commission to slaughter cattle suspected of having tuberculosis without compensating the owner for the full market value of the animals will be tested in the supreme court. O. W. Shipman, of Detroit, was the owner of a large herd of valuable Jerseys. The state live stock commission applied the tuberculosis test and found that twenty-eight of the best looking animals in the herd were afflicted with tuberculosis. The animals were slaughtered and Shipman was tendered \$1 each for the animals, which he refused. He demanded their market value, which was \$2,000. Hence the suit.

For Uniform Game Laws.

Lansing, Mich., April 16.—The Michigan legislature will in a few days receive a request from the legislature of Wisconsin asking for the appointment of a commission to work jointly with commissioners appointed by the legislatures of Wisconsin, Minnesota and Illinois, to devise uniform game and fish laws for the four states mentioned. The commission will comprise five members of the senate and house, and the work provided for will be done after the close of the present session and before the opening of the legislature of 1899.

Sound Money Campaign to Proceed.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 19.—The sound money Democratic state central committee has decided to keep up its organization and work. Clerks will continue in charge of headquarters to superintend the organization of the counties and to distribute the literature. Reports have been received showing the total vote cast in the recent election to be 25,000, with fifteen counties yet to hear from.

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PEOPLE DROWNING.

CALL FOR HELP FROM COON'S LANDING, LOUISIANA.

Two Breaks in the Embankment Reported at That Point, and Others Elsewhere—Thousands of Destitute People To Be Provided For.

Vicksburg, Miss., April 20.—Major J. H. Willard, U. S. engineer, has just received a dispatch from the master of the steamer Florence, ordered Sunday night to Coon's Landing, La., to rescue flood sufferers, asking him to send all the skills obtainable by the first steamer, as the people are drowning and cannot be reached except by skiffs. Coon's Landing is about thirty-five miles from this city and is being flooded by the Biggs crevasse. A dispatch arrived at midnight from Ashwood, La., says the water is rushing rapidly into the swamps of Tensas parish, which are inaccessible by steamer, and this dispatch crosses many apprehensions. Relief work here is depending upon private charity, upon which the burden is daily heavier. Thousands have arrived and thousands are coming. The levees are covered with fugitives. Chairman Grayton, of the colored relief committee, says 7,000 persons are in distress here.

Later—A dispatch from the valley route operator at Hays, Miss., referring to the foregoing, says the calamity at Coon's Landing is due to a break in the levee there and that another has occurred opposite Rodney. No details have been received. Boats cannot be sent before morning.

Condition Slightly Improved.

The United States steamer Vidette arrived at 6 p. m. from below in charge of Captain W. H. Brown, assistant United States engineer under Lieutenant Newcomer. He reported a break in the Red levee, one mile below the saw-mill and one and a half miles below the Biggs break. At 2 p. m. the break was 200 feet wide and not widening fast, as the water behind the levee from the Biggs break prevented it going through with any great velocity. Captain Brown states that the condition is slightly improved along the upper portion of the line and also that only a small force is at work maintaining any protecting work already done. There has been a fall of two-tenths from Goodrich, in East Carroll parish to this point. The water from the Red break joins that from Biggs levee and will only add to the volume of water going east.

Memphis Has Sufficient Funds.

Memphis, Miss., April 20.—Calls for aid have been sent out from sections of the overflooded Mississippi delta, and while the waters are slowly receding the suffering and destitution increases. The situation throughout the delta is about the same as on Sunday. It was a beautiful day in the flood-stricken section, and the planters hope that the waters will be carried away in time to make a good crop. At Memphis the river is slowly falling and at Cairo a decided fall is reported. The Memphis relief committee has issued a card stating that "in the judgment of the executive committee the funds now in hand will, in all probability, be sufficient for demands, and that contributions to the Memphis relief committee should cease."

NEWS FROM DOWN AT NATCHEZ.

The Way the Glasscock Levee Let the Mississippi River Through.

Natchez, Miss., April 20.—The first break on the Concordia parish front occurred on Sunday morning last, when the Glasscock levee gave way. This levee is located about twenty-eight miles below Natchez and is near the lower end of the levee system of the parish. It is an old levee and has received no attention since 1891. There was a large force of men at work on it Sunday, raising and strengthening it. They were working their way to the lower end of it when suddenly the laborers saw the muddy water begin to bubble up at the lower end, and in less time than it takes to tell it the seething water tore a great hole through it, and work on the embankment was at once stopped.

The water rushed through at a great rate and began spreading out in the lands adjacent. The catastrophe was not unexpected, and its disastrous effects were in a measure discounted by reason of all the stock and other perishable property having been previously removed. The water from this break will inundate the lower part of the parish of Mooreville down to Brabaton, covering a number of fine plantations, but it was expected that most of this section would go under anyhow from the overflow that will take place in Black river from the Biggs crevasse, below Delta. It will entail a vast amount of suffering of the people of the neighborhood, and relief will have to be extended to them.

Last night the crevasse was reported to be from 800 to 1,000 feet wide and still caving. The river at Natchez has fallen 20-30 in the past forty-eight hours, but again shows a rising tendency. This city is fast filling up with flood sufferers, and every effort will be made to care for them. Stock of all kinds continues to pour in by the steamboat load. All the other levees are in good shape and little apprehension is felt for them.

Specimen of Cuban "Specials."

New York, April 17.—Una Melton, one of the Competitor prisoners, cables to a New York paper that the Spanish evacuation of Cuba has commenced. 450 soldiers having embarked from Havana for Spain. It has been given out by Spanish authorities that the men to leave were sick and wounded, but that was merely a ruse to cover the fact that the withdrawal of Spanish troops has commenced.

Omaha Is Probably Safe.

Omaha, April 17.—The river is still falling at this point, and there is evidence that the worst damage from the flood has been done. The stream across the north bottoms is still discharging an immense volume of water into Cut-Off lake, but the dykes across the bottom are holding well, and the receding river must soon reduce the influx.

Defeated and "Stopped."

Birmingham, Ala., April 20.—A special from Albertville, Ala., to The State Herald says: County Superintendent W. W. Kidd, of Marshall county, has defeated and gone to parts unknown. His shortage is about \$4,000.

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